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SUBJ: DISTRIBUTION OF SIHANOUK'S SEPT. 10 CABLE

TO UNSYG

REF: USUN 3485

1. SUBJECT MESSAGE CIRCULATED SEPT. 27 AS GA DOCUMENT

A/9171 IN RESPONSE TO REQUEST THAT IT BE DISTRIBUTED

AS AN OFFICIAL DOCUMENT OF 28TH GA UNDER AGENDA ITEM

8. REQUEST SIGNED BY ALBANIA, ALGERIA, BURUNDI,

CHINA, CONGO, CUBA, YEMEN, EGYPT, EQUATORIAL GUINEA,

GUINEA, MALI, MAURITANIA, ROMANIA, SENEGAL,

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2. TEXT FOLLOWS.

"CABLE DATED 10 SEPTEMBER 1973 FROM PRINCE NORODOM SIHANOUK
ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

"I HAVE THE HONOUR TO CONVEY TO YOU MY GREETINGS AND TO
CALL YOUR ATTENTION TO THE FOLLOWING.

THE FOURTH SUMMIT CONFERENCE OF NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES,
WHICH WAS HELD IN ALGIERS FROM 5 TO 9 SEPTEMBER 1973
WITH THE PARTICIPATION OF NEARLY 80 HEADS OF STATE AND
GOVERNMENT AND WHICH I ATTENDED IN MY CAPACITY AS HEAD OF
STATE OF CAMBODIA, IN ITS GENERAL DECLARATION UNANIMOUSLY
ADOPTED THE FOLLOWING TEXT CONCERNING CAMBODIA:

"THE CONFERENCE SALUTES THE VICTORY OF THE CAMBODIAN
PEOPLE IN OBTAINING THE CESSATION OF THE AMERICAN BOMBING
OF THEIR COUNTRY AND CONDEMNS THE PERSISTENCE OF THE UNITED
STATES OF AMERICA IN ITS POLICY OF AGGRESSION WHICH,
AT THE PRESENT TIME, FINDS EXPRESSION IN THE MANIFOLD
SUPPORT WHICH IT IS PROVIDING TO THE PHNOM PENH REGIME.

"IT CONDEMNS THE MILITARY INTERVENTION OF THE UNITED STATES
OF AMERICA AND ITS ALLIES IN CAMBODIA AND THEIR INTER-
FERENCE IN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF THAT COUNTRY.

"THE PARTICIPANTS DECLARE THAT THE ONLY LEGITIMATE AND LEGAL
GOVERNMENT OF CAMBODIA IS THE ROYAL GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL
UNITY OF CAMBODIA PRESIDED OVER BY THE HEAD OF STATE,
PRINCE NORODOM SIHANOUK, AND CALL UPON ALL NON-ALIGNED
COUNTRIES TO RECOGNIZE THAT GOVERNMENT AS A MATTER OF URGENCY."

THE CONFERENCE ALSO ADOPTED THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION ON
CAMBODIA:

"THE FOURTH CONFERENCE OF HEADS OF STATE AND GOVERNMENT
OF NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES MEETING IN ALGIERS FROM 5 TO 9
SEPTEMBER 1973,

"RECALLING THE RESOLUTION ON CAMBODIA ADOPTED AT THE
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GEORGETOWN CONFERENCE AND THE OTAL SUPPORT OF THAT CONFERENCE
FOR THE FIVE-POINT DECLARATION OF 23 MARCH 1970 BY PRINCE
NORODOM SIHANOUK, THE HEAD OF STATE OF CAMBODIA, CONCERNING
THE SETTLEMENT OF THE CAMBODIAN PROBLEM,

"RECALLING THAT THE INDEPENDENT AND NON-ALIGNED COUNTRY
OF CAMBODIA, UNTIL THEN AN OASIS OF PEACE, HAD, AS
FROM MARCH 1970, BEEN DRAWN INTO THE WAR OF AMERICAN

AGGRESSION IN INDO-CHINA BY THE ANTI-NATIONAL COUP
D'ETAT,

"RECALLING THE LEGALITY AND LEGITIMACY OF THE ROYAL
GOVERNMENT PRESIDED OVER BY PRINCE NORODOM SIHANOUK,
VICTIM OF THE COUP D'ETAT AGAINST CAMBODIAN
NEUTRALITY,

"CONSIDERING THAT, BY THE COLLECTIVE RECOGNITION THAT THE
CONFERENCE HAS ACCORDED TO THE ROYAL GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL
UNITY OF CAMBODIA, IT HAS EXTENDED THE MOST VALUABLE SUPPORT
TO THE JUST STRUGGLE OF THE CAMBODIAN PEOPLE FOR THEIR
INDEPENDENCE, THEIR SOVEREIGNTY AND THEIR NEUTRALITY,

"1. CALLS ON THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
TO HALT ALL ACTS OF AGGRESSION AGAINST CAMBODIA, ALL INTER-
FERENCE IN ITS INTERNAL AFFAIRS AND, IN PARTICULAR, ALL
AID TO THE PHNOM PENH REGIME, AND TO WITHDRAW ITS
MILITARY PERSONNEL AND THE FOREIGN FORCES IT HAS ENGAGED
IN CAMBODIA;

"2. REQUESTS ALL COUNTRIES THAT UPHOLD PEACE AND JUSTICE
TO ACCORD FORMAL RECOGNITION TO THE ROYAL GOVERNMENT OF
NATIONAL UNITY OF CAMBODIA AS THE ONLY
LEGITIMATE GOVERNMENT OF CAMBODIA;

"3. REAFFIRMS ITS SOLIDARITY WITH THE ROYAL GOVERNMENT OF
NATIONAL UNITY OF CAMBODIA IN ITS INTERNATIONAL STRUGGLE,
AND ITS FIRM SUPPORT WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER
INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS."

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IN VIEW OF THIS DECISION BY THE FOURTH SUMMIT CONFERENCE
OF NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES, WHICH REPRESENT THE OVERWHELMING
MAJORITY WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS, I REQUEST YOU TO
INCLUDE IN THE AGENDA OF THE NEXT UNITED NATIONS GENERAL
ASSEMBLY THE QUESTION OF THE RESTORATION OF THE ROYAL
GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL UNITY OF CAMBODIA, OF WHICH I AM
HEAD, TO ITS RIGHTFUL PLACE IN THE UNITED NATIONS AND ITS
RELATED AGENCIES. I SHOULD POINT OUT THAT THE ROYAL GOVERN-
MENT OF NATIONAL UNITY OF CAMBODIA ALREADY CONTROLS MORE
THAN 90 PER CENT OF THE NATIONAL TERRITORY INHABITED
BY MORE THAN 80 PER CENT OF THE POPULATION OF CAMBODIA.
THE PHNOM PENH GROUP, WHICH REPRESENTS ONLY THE INTERESTS
OF FOREIGN IMPERIALISM, AS IS EVIDENT FROM ITS OWN
DECLARATIONS, HAS ONLY TEMPORARY CONTROL OF PHNOM PENH
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AND CERTAIN PROVINCIAL CAPITALS WHICH OUR GOVERNMENT AND
PEOPLE ARE IN THE PROCESS OF LIBERATING AND WHICH WE EXPECT
TO LIBERATE COMPLETELY IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

ACCEPT, SIR, THE ASSURANCES OF MY HIGHEST CONSIDERATION.

NORODOM SIHANOUK
HEAD OF STATE OF CAMBODIA"

3. SYG REPLIED BY FOLLOWING TEXT ON SEPT. 21 CIRCULATED
AS UNGA DOCUMENT A/9172.

"NOTE BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

WITH REFERENCE TO THE LETTER DATED 25 SEPTEMBER 1973
FROM THE REPRESENTATIVES OF ALBANIA, ALGERIA, BURUNDI,
CHINA, CONGO, CUBA, DEMOCRATIC YEMEN, EGYPT, EQUATORIAL
GUINEA, GUINEA, MALI, MAURITANIA, ROMANIA, SENEGAL,

SOMALIA, SUDAN, SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC, YUGOSLAVIA AND
ZAIRE TO THE UNITED NATIONS (A/9171), THE SECRETARY-
GENERAL HAS THE HONOUR TO TRANSMIT TO THE MEMBERS OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY, FOR INFORMATION, THE TEXT OF THE REPLY
WHICH HE SENT ON 21 SEPTEMBER 1973 TO PRINCE NORODOM
SIHANOUK.

"CABLE DATED 21 SEPTEMBER 1973 FROM THE SECRETARY-GENERAL
ADDRESSED TO PRINCE NORODOM SIHANOUK

I HAVE THE HONOUR TO ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF YOUR CABLE
DATED 10 SEPTEMBER 1973, THE FULL TEXT OF WHICH ONLY REACHED
ME ON 20 SEPTEMBER.

I HAVE TAKEN THE MOST CAREFUL NOTE OF THE REQUEST CONTAINED
IN YOUR CABLE. SINCE THE CREATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS,
ALL SECRETARIES-GENERAL WITHOUT EXCEPTION HAVE SCRUPULOUSLY
AVOIDED INTERVENING IN QUESTIONS RELATING TO THE REP-
RESENTATION OF MEMBER STATES IN THE ORGANIZATION. INDEED,
WE ARE CONVINCED THAT THESE QUESTIONS MUST BE SETTLED
EXCLUSIVELY BY THE MEMBER STATES AND BY THE COMPETENT
DELIBERATIVE ORGANIS OF THE UNITED NATIONS. FOR THE
AFOREMENTIONED REASONS, I CONSIDER THAT THE QUESTION
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MENTIONED IN YOUR CALBE CAN BE BROUGHT BEFORE THE GENERAL
ASSEMBLY ONLY BY ONE OR MORE STATES MEMBERS OF THE
ORGANIZATION.

ACCEPT, YOUR HIGHNESS, THE ASSURANCES OF MY HIGHEST
CONSIDERATION.

KURT WALDHEIM
SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS"
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